

**State Board of Education  
December 18, 2007  
Item G-2A**

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
Montpelier, Vermont**

**TEAM:** Finance

**ITEM:** Will the State Board of Education grant approval to Application C-468 for school construction aid from the Swanton Town School District for a ventilation project at the Swanton Central School?

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** That the State Board of Education grant approval of application C-468 for school construction aid from the Swanton Town School District for a ventilation project at the Swanton Central School.

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** Title 16, V.S.A. §§3447-3450, as amended

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

1. The school district has submitted to the Department of Education an application for construction aid in compliance with State Board Rules 6100 et. seq., on October 24, 2007.
2. The project consists of ventilation and temperature control improvements to increase the air flow volume throughout the facility.
3. Plans for this project were prepared by Steven Shaw, Shaw Engineering, LLC, St. Albans, Vermont.
4. The plans and permits for this project have been approved by the Department of Public Safety.
5. The project fulfills a need as defined by Title 16 §3448.

**COST IMPLICATIONS:**

1. The Swanton Town School District voted on March 6, 2007 to approve a total of \$290,000. for multiple projects, \$80,000. is earmarked for this project.
2. The estimated construction aid for this project is \$24,000.

**STAFF AVAILABLE:** Cathy Hilgendorf, School Construction Consultant  
Cassandra Ryan, Admin. Asst. School Construction  
Bill Talbott, CFO

**Certificate of Award  
V.S.A., Title 16, §3448**

To the Commissioner of Finance:

I hereby certify that the school districts named below have met the requirements of the State Board of Education pursuant to Title 16, V.S.A., §3447 and are now eligible to receive school building aid award under Title 16, V.S.A., §3448 upon availability of funds.

<u>Project Number</u>	<u>School District</u>	<u>Amount</u>
<b>ESTIMATED AWARD</b>		
C-469	Swanton Town School District	\$ 24,000.00

**EMERGENCY AWARD OVER \$100,000**

C-471	Milton Town School District	\$1,100,000.00
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**EMERGENCY AWARD UNDER \$100,000  
APPROVED BY COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION**

C-470	Chester Andover USD #29	\$ 21,969.00
C-472	Brandon Town School District	\$ 9,000.00

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Tom James, Chair  
Vermont State Board of Education  
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